

Douglas A. Ducey Governor **EXECUTIVE OFFICE**

May 18, 2016

The Honorable Andy Biggs President of the Senate Arizona State Senate 1700 West Washington Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Re: Senate Bill 1434 (information technology; consolidated purchasing)

Dear President Biggs:

Today, I vetoed Senate Bill 1434.

It's time for state government to enter the 21st century, and major advances in technology are needed to get there. This bill appears to add extra layers of bureaucracy that are unnecessary and will stall needed advancements in technology.

Sincerely,

Douglas A. Ducey

Governor

State of Arizona

cc:

The Honorable David Gowan

The Honorable Don Shooter The Honorable Michele Reagan